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Newly added claim 32 (as filed on June 21, 2002) is shown below in proper form (all words are underlined, as claim 32 is new relative to the claims in Patent No. 5,761,301):

32. (Newly Added) A method of manufacturing an optical disk comprising the steps of:

forming, on a substrate, a data zone having pits indicating data signals readable by light radiation;

forming a reflective layer on the data zone; and

trimming the reflective layer to form markings on a track of the optical disk;

wherein the markings form a barcode pattern indicating information and the pits are provided between successive markings of the barcode pattern.